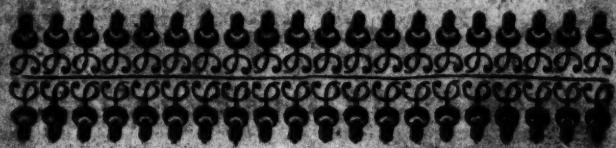




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A  
CATALOGUE  
OF MANY  
Natural RARITIES.

I.

*Rarities H U M A N E.*



*Giants Thigh-bone, more then  
four feet in Length, found in  
Syria.*

*A Manuscript, and adorned  
with Hieroglyphicks, that  
contains the antiquities, and eminent  
actions of the Persian where Corps is  
found, and is many years old. It contains  
the history of the Persian*

*Rarities of BEASTS and Parts of them.*

**A** *Habus* or *Sloth*, a four-footed Animal of *Florida*, in the Head and Neck somewhat resembling a Man. It hath three Claws on each foot, but the Claws are like a Boars Tuskes. It is the slowest of all Beasts, from whence it hath its Name, for it will be a quarter or half an houre going a Fingers length.

**A** *Haget*, a Creature of the Island *Mayonto* in the Lake *Tondarro*, two hundred miles from *Hudsons* River in *America*. It hath a Costly Furre, sleeps six months, and is held for excellent meat in that Country.

**A** *Linx*, a very quick sighted fierce Creature, as big as an ordinary Water Spaniel, having an excellent Furre. This Beast leapt from a Tree, and had almost kill'd a Woman, but that she was speedily delivered by a Moor, who shot him to death. It was given by Mr. *Lizzey* Chyrurgion of *Popler*.

**An** *Ermine*, which chuses rather to suffer death

death, then to be defiled; as some Authors  
testifie.

A Monstruous *Catt*, with two bodies, one  
head, eight leggs and two tayles. It was  
presented by a worthy friend Mr. *Thornton*,  
Chaplain to the right Honorable the Earle of  
*Bedford*.

A Muske *Quashe* or Water Ratt of *Russia*.  
This Creature lives in fresh Waters and Ri-  
vers and has a large long Tayle, and Ducks-  
Feet behinde, the better to swimme withal.

A very great and perfect Water-Otter,  
given to the augmentation of this Collecti-  
on, by Sr. *Rich. Everard* one of the Burges-  
ses of Parliament, and a great lover of in-  
genuity.

A Monstrous *Calf*, with two Heads, and  
two Tayles, with a perfect Body.

A *Tamanduaguacu*, or *Ant-Bear* of *Brasile*,  
so called, because it lives only upon *Antes*. It  
resembles in some part or other, six or seven  
sorts of Creatures; being breecht like a  
Bear, bristled on the back like a Boar, bran-  
ded like a Badger, his head long like a Birds  
bill,

bill, his ears like a Childs, his fore-feet like a Dogs, his hinder like an Apes, his hair flat like grasse. A Rarity hard to be procured.

A flying *Squirrel*, a little Beast of *Virginia*, that flies from Tree to Tree, by extending of its skin on either side.

A very perfect *Leopards-skin*, with Head, Teeth, Feet, Claws and Tail, a beautifull perfect Rarity.

An Intire Cubbe of a *Bear*, stufte and dried in its proper skin.

A *Skeleton* of a little Marmoset.

A perfect *Hedge-hog*.

#### *Parts of Beasts.*

The Hornes of a *Dog*, of a Land near *China*.

The Hornes of a *Hare*, which were the Prince Electors of *Saxony*.

A *Rhinoceros* Horn, that was given me by his Highnesse the Duke of *Holstein*,  
and

and a Claw and Scale of a *Rhinoceros*, which is esteemed the *Unicorne*.

A very long winding Horn of a *Ram* from *Germany*.

The Black Hornes of a *Russia Ram*, four growing together, two streight, and two crooked.

A strange Horn of a *Virginia Deere*.

A strange Horn of a *German Rain Deere*.

Another sort of *Rain Deeres Horn*.

A pair of little *Antelopes Hornes*.

A large Horn of an *Ibex*, a kind of a Goat that feeds upon high Mountains, and climbs the steepest Rocks, relying on the strength of his Hornes, on which when he slips, he casts himself to secure his body.

An *Affrican Buffles Horn*.

A strange little Horn of a *Deer*.

A large pair of Velvet Hornes of a *Greenland Deere*. The

The Heads of a Male and Female *Barbarouze*, either of them as big as a Swines Head. It is a strange beast of the Deserts of *East India*, it hath two Tusks like a Boar in the lower Jaw, and two great Tusks growing upon the Nose, with which it reaches certain branches for its food.

A *Guiney Bats-skin* larger then a great Coney-skin.

A soft Ball of Hair bigger then a mans fist, found in the maw of a Calf in *Holland*.

A Black Ball with a hard shell, found in the stomach of a wild Bull in *Brasil*.

A little *Orbicular* Ball hard and light, found in the stomach of a strange Beast of *India*.

A strange Tuske of a great Boar.

Two different great Teeth of an *Hippopotamus*.

A *Cow-tail* bushy and long. It is of one of the Cows that are worshipped by a people near the River *Ganges*.

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III.

BIRDS.

**A** *Phenicopter* or *Passoflamingo*, given by the Ingenious lover of Rarities Mr. Povey Treasurer to his Hignesse the Duke of Yorke. This Bird is good meat, and was much esteemed by the delicate-mouthed Romans.

**A** *Manucodiata* or Bird of *Paradise*, found only in the *Molucco-Islands*, but never seen alive. They are not without Feet, as the Ancients report, for they have great ones; and therefore 'tis likely they perch upon Trees in a Land as yet unknown: from whence by a Wind that blowes six Moneths one way, and six Moneths another, they are some of them carried up so high (as they may



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may easily be by reason of their sharp Head, small Body, and great feather'd Tayl ) that they fall down dead in another Country.

A Bird called the *Halcyon* of East *India*.

A *Tropick*-Bird, so called because it is never seen but under or near the *Tropicks*, so that the Mariner upon sight of them know whereabouts they are, It is a Sea-Fowl, having his body of a Gray Colour, the Feathers of his Wings White, but their Quils Black, his Bill like a Crow's, but very Red, his Feet like a Ducks, but party-Coloured.

An *Arcuata Coccinea*, a sort of Sea-Curlew, highly esteemed by the Natives of *Brasile*, who call it *Guaro*. It changes the Colour of its Feathers thrice, viz. from Black to Ash-Colour, and then to White, but the second year puts on new ones of a *Scarlet*, which the longer the Bird lives it grows more bright and orient; It is found in *Maraboon* and *Rio de Janeiro*. It was given me together with the full Relation of it, by the learned Dr. *Charlton* one of the Kings Majestis Physicians in Ordinary, and excellently knowing in Natural Rarities.

A *Sea-Crow*, it is as big as a Raven, it hath Feet like a Duck, and a Bill like a Crow.

A strange *Sea-Fowle* as big as a Goose, it is called the *Sea Pinguin*. It cannot fly, for his Wings are like Finnes, and is so thick of Feathers that one cannot shoot him, unlesse behind against the growth of his thick Down or Feathers; he is found threescore leagues from the Coast of *Canada*.

A *Sea-Parret* or *Coppernose* of *Greenland*; the Bill is of several colours, but the Feet of a scarlet, and like a Duck.

A great Bird of *Guiney* called the *Guiney-wake*, it somewhat resembles a Peacock in the head, and hath a tuft like the bristles of a Hog on the top of his head, and a scent like Musk, but as ill-favored feet as the Peacock.

A *Sea-Pidgeon* of *Green-land*, this bird is all white.

A little *Sea-Blackbird* of *Green-land*, his wings are black and white, and his little Duck feet Red.

Several *Tomini* or *Humming* Birds of several

veral Countries, which live by the dew that they suck from the flowers with their little long tongues.

A rare *Humming Bird* of a lesser sort than ordinary; the Bird and Nest together not weighing 12. grains.

*Parts of B I R D S.*

The *Head* and *Bill* of the Bird *Ibis* of *Egypt*, by the *Turks* called *Mahomet's Bird*, the Bird that first taught the use of *Glysters*. In that Country there is a Law that condemnes any to death, who kills one of them; they do such good service in devouring the *Serpents* that abound there.

An *Indian Starks* head and bill,

An *Aetna's* head and bill of *Brasil*.

A *Pelican's* head, bill and bag, with the feet, shewing it to be a *Water-fowle*. He makes himself not bleed purposely to feed his young ones (as the *Ancients* report) but accidentally, only by the grating of *Shell-fish*, which he carries in his thin bag.

A marvelous great head and bill of a Bird yet unknown.

A *Toucan's* head and bill of *Pern*; the head and bill of that bird is bigger then all his body; it is a very rare one and did belong to the King of *Spain*.

The head, legge and egge of an *Estridge*.

The head and bill of a *Stone-pecker*, of *Germany*.

A legge and egge of an *Emen* or *Casawares*.

A legge of a *Dodo*, a great heavy bird that cannot fly; it is a Bird of the *Mauricins* Island.

A strange Birds head and beak of *Brasil*, called *Gibaruagacu*, 11. inches long.

A *Shovelers* head and beak.

The head and beak of a true *Griffin*. It is a sort of *Vulture*, those with hinder parts like *Lyons* being nearly fabulous.

A great and strange head and bill of a great Bird of *East Indies*, called the *Humigum*, for the humming noyle it makes in flying. It is like a double bill.  
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The head of an *Eagle*.

A great *Albitrosses* head and foot. It is a strange fowl for the shape of his beack, and very ravenous, as making a pray of fish or fowl, therefore called by Sea-men the Man of War. He is a bird of East *Indies* near the Line; It hath oue foot like a Swans, and the other like an *Eagles*.

Several sorts of *Eggs* of Birds, Fishes and Serpents.

A Nest of a Bird in *Africa*, built with a long neck on a Tree, to secure it self and young ones from Apes and Monkies.

A Nest of a Bird made like the secret parts of a man, by a little Bird in *Brasil*, to secure him and his youngones from the Serpents.

Three Nests of Birds of East *Indies*, built one over another, the uppermost being in shape like the secret part of the Femal sex.

A Nest of a little Bird of *China*, no body doth well know of what material it is made; but the great persons of that Country eat it for good-meat.

A Nest

A large bush of black Feathers, in Rarity and beauty exceeding that of the great *Turks* or *Sultans*, which the Master of these Rarities saw at *Constantinople*.

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## IV.

## Whole FISHES.

**A** *Shoveller* or blew *Sharke*, it is a female one big and perfect, given by Doctor *Eastgate*, Physician in *Poplar*.

A great male-*Sharke*, it is differing in form from the female very much.

Another sort of *Sharke*, called the *Monk-fish-Sharke*. The *Sharkes* in gender like four-footed Creatures on Land, and have ten or twelve at a litter; When their young ones are in any danger they receive them into their stomach, and then disgorge them out again.

A Spotted *Dog-fish* of the Coast of *France*.

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A *Shovel Dog-fish*, it is a species of *Sharke*, his eyes are seated of a great distance one from the other. It was given by his Highness the Duke of *Holstein*.

A little prickled *Dog-fish* of the *German Sea*.

A great *Frog-fish* of the *Baltick Sea*, this fish is as big as a great Hog, and hath two sprigs like wyers on the forepart of his head.

A *Sea-Otter*. This Creature is an *Amphibium*, and hath his forefeet like finnes, but seated in the midst of his body like a crosse, his skin is hairy like down or silk, and no lesse soft and bright.

A *Sea-Leopard*, so called from his spots, it is a species of *Seale*, and is also an *Amphibium*.

A little *Sea Calf* or *Seale* which also participates of both Elements, he hath four short feet, whereof the two hinder broad, but no ears, the better to endure long in the water. *Olau* the Great writes, that this Creature is the most unconstant to his female of any, which



which is the cause oftentimes of his death, for the fishermen take him by counterfeiting the braying of a female; they are common in the *Finland-Sea*.

**A Sea-Wolf**, it is a Creature that hath the strongest jawes, and forest biting teeth of any for his bignesse; for his head being cut off from his body, living a quarter or half an hour after is able to bite ones hand off.

**A Sea-Ape**, so called for his form, and called the Joynt fish for its nature; for if one holds ones hand afore his head, when he is living it makes the Joynts of hand and arme to crack. This fish is found in *Brasil*.

**A great Sea-Tortoise**, it is a Creature much addicted to generating, for the male will remain on the female ten days or more, to the great impoverishing of himself, even to carrion but to the bettering of the female, which will thereupon lay four or five hundred egges at a time in a hole she makes in the sands, where she covers them, and so they are afterwards hatched by the sun.

**A little Tortoise**, called the *Hawks-bill-Tortoise*.

A very little *Tortoise* newly hatcht out of its egge: All *Sea-Tortises* are very good meat when they are in season.

A male *Conny-fish*, armed with a hard shell, and two hornes or prickles before and two behind.

A *Triangular-fish*, it is a female *Conny-fish*, larger then the male, the better to contain her spawn, and is also armed with the like hard shell, but not with prickles: nature forcing her to follow the male for her defence.

A *Poyson-fish* of East India, it is so venomous that thirteen men in a ship dyed by eating of one of them, he is called by some the *Sea-Hare*, it is for its forme something long and fore square, and is a species of *Conny-fish*.

A four *Prickled-fish* of East India, never taken with others of different species: for because of the prickles he hath before and behind, which threaten death to any that shall swallow him, other fishes (though never so great) are affraid of him, and avoid his company.

A long narrow fish called the *Sea-Pelican* for the form of its head, also it is called the *Sea-Dart*; for form of his body, the Tail is like the head of a barbed arrow; the fish is rare and not mentioned by Authors.

A great *Porcupine-fish* of the West India.

A *Hedge-Hog-fish*, it is a species of the *Sea Porcupine*, only the prickles are shorter: It was given as an addition to these Rarities by his Highnesse the Duke of *Holstein*.

A *Sea-Mouse*, so called for the form of its head and beard, this fish (contrary to the nature of other fishes) shrieks out of the water like a mouse, it is about a foot long, and in colour and shape like a Serpent, were it not for his fins. It is good meat.

A great horned *Soal-fish*. It is like a large Soal, but hath his mouth right a fore, with one great horne between his eyes, and both the sides of his body of one colour, different from the nature of other Soals, that are brown on one side and white on the other; This is not common.

A *Saw-fish*, Vulgarly called the *Sword-fish*,

but is not. This fish is the enemy to the *Whale*, for with the prickles of his weapon he torments the *Whale* so much, that the great monstrous fish kills her self by swimming too hastily without her *Pilot-fish* against the shore or *Rocks*, her body being so fat and heavy, and her skin so thin.

A *Sturgeon* of *Holland*,

A *Sturgeon* of another species, such as is found in *Hungary*.

A *Parrot* or *Angrey fish* of *Brafle*, it is a species of *Globe-fish* which cannot swim in a storm, and therefore fills his maw with stones, to lye steady in the bottom of the water.

A *Sucking-fish* of *Iseland*, it is a species of *Lump-fish*, it likewise cannot swim in a storm, but sticks to the *Rocks* with a feeding mouth, that is under the fore part of his belly.

An *Hermit-fish* of the bottom of the Sea, it is a Creature that liveth in the shell of another fish, the fishermen make use of them to baite for other fishes withall.

A *Woodcock-fish* of the *Baltick Sea*, his head

head is like a long bill full of sharp teeth, and for the length is counted a Sea-Serpent.

A *Souldier-fish*, it is a Creature that liveth on Mountains or highlands, in the *Caribbean* Island under the roots of trees, but once a year cometh to the Sea side to spawn in vast multitudes, and then they possess themselves of the shells of other fishes, and so march back again with their plundred shells. This Creature is very good meat.

A prickled *Toad-fish* of *India*, being a species of *Globe-fish*.

A *Skeleton* of a great *Toad-fish*, it is like a Net, and a very singular Rarity.

An extraordinary great headed *Gourner*, it is much different from the red *Gourner*. It is very great and an excellent tasted meat:

An *Angel-fish*, so called for his beautifull colours, that it hath under water. This is of the *West Indies*.

A great flying-fish or *Sea-Swallow*, that flies sometimes aboard the ships, thinking to escape a fish that is his adversary, so be-

comes a good friend to man, by being good meat when it is well dressed.

A lesse sort of *Flying-fish*, with its four wings extended,

Another sort of great *Flying-fish* of the Straits; this species hath the wings larger, but not so long, and the head and scales of a different forme, and is also a good tasted fish.

A *Trumpet fish* of the *Baltic-Sea*, it is a kind of Sea-Serpent, and somewhat resembles the Needel-fish.

A *Smith-fish*, it is likewise called St. *Peters-fish*, the one half is the head, and the other half is the body; It was given by his Highnesse the *Landgrave of Hessen*.

A *Wave-fish*, so called for the manner of the growing of his scales.

A *Weapon-fish* of *Bermudos*: This fish hath a long sharp bone on the back to defend himself, which he raiseth or leteth fall in a hollow case when he will.



Another sort of *Weapon-fish* of the West Indies.

A fish called the *Sea-Cock* of the Spanish-Coast.

A little fish of *Guinea* called the *Cataphractus*, which hath prickles on the fore part of the head that are venomous.

A fish called the *Sea-Scorpion*, for his venomous prickles; and his body or skin is spotted with white spots.

A *Sun-fish* so called for sleeping in the Sun, and the *Moon-fish* for shining in the Night, to the amazement oftentimes of Seamen that see so great a light. This fish is of a strange forme, for 'tis like a head only, but hath a very little mouth for so great a body.

A *Polypus* being a round bonelesse-fish, with eight feet and a mouth like a *Parrots* beak, in the midst of the body, and having within a bag of black liquour ( very good ink ) which when he is closely pursued by men or fishes, he spurts out through an orifice ( by instinct of nature ) and thereby so darkens the water, that he escapes from them.

A flatflowered *Starre-fish* of *German-Sea*.

A great Netted *Starre-fish*, so called for his forme. It is one of the sensiblest Creatures of the world, and hath but one eye; it was given by *Sr. Thomas Wardner*, Governor of *Sr. Christophers Island*.

A very rare great *Star-fish* of *India*. This fish feeds one flat shell-fishes, and his mouth is in the center of his body.

A large *Comett* with six points, a fish of *India*, it is a species of *Star-fish*.

A little Crowned *Star-fish* of the Coast of *Denmarke*.

A five *Finger-Fish*, it is a species of *Star-fish* of *India*, it hath five points, long, round and narrow, like ones finger, of a flesh-colour, but at present being dry it is whitish.

A little round boded *Star-fish*, of the Coast of *Holland*.

A little *Star-fish* of a different species from the forementioned.



A little *Star-fish* with twelve points, taken on the Coast of *England*, it is also called the *Sun-fish* for it's forme.

A little sort of *Star-fish* of *England*, it is in forme like a Mullet or a Spurre-Rowell.

Another *Star-fish* also of *England* different from all the others.

A great *Sea Crab* of *England*.

A *King Crab* of the *Moluccas* Islands. This Creature has its eyes on his back, and is also called a *Sea Spyder*, for its resemblance to a land *Spyder*.

A prickled *Crab* of *Norway*, it is also called the *Sea Spyder*, it has little claws on his feet like Birds claws; It was given to the augmenting of these Rarities, by the learned *Petrus Carisius*, the King of *Denmarks* Resident in the *United Provinces*.

A great *Crab*, having its shell covered with Oysters that are grown to it, a Rarity worth considering.

A *White Land-Crab*, it is like a deaths head, and

and it lives in the ground like *Connies* in a burrow, in some Islands of the *West Indies*.

Another species of *King Crab* or *Sea Spider*, but as light as a sheet of Paper, yet it is as big as an ordinary face. It is of the *West Indies*.

A *Torpedo* or Benumbing fish, for it taketh away the sense of feeling from the fishermans hand when it is in his Net. It is a fish of *Africa*, and did belong to the King of *France*.

A very perfect great and true *Remora* of *India*, whose property is to hinder or stay ships as they swim, ( if we will believe Heathen Philosophers ) it hath on its head many open spaces out of which proceeds a glutinous humour, whereby it sticks so fast to any smooth thing, that a man cannot well loosen it, unlesse he shove it from him, as the Master of these Rarities hath tried,

A strange black *Plaice* from the *Denmark* Sea.

A little fish called the *Sea Owle* for its form. It is a species of prickled *Globe fish*.

A *Hippocampus* of the *Mediterranean* Sea, his belly is very venomous, A

An *Hippocampus* of *Brasil*, of another sort; for he hath a little white horn under his head.

A little *Spouting* or *Fountain* fish; for it sticks to the Rocks, and when one will take him he spouts the water in ones face.

A strange sort of *Oyster*, that is called the *Sentry* fish for his nature; for it is fastned to the Rocks, and most commonly stands open to catch fish, for as the fishes thinks to eat him, he takes his enemy prisoner, and then entertains him as good meat.

A *Navell* fish, it is a slymy mishapen thing, that sticks to the Rocks and contracts it self in the shape of a Navell, but is a venomous Creature.

A true *Purple* fish, that sticks to the Rocks; it is an insect of the Sea, composed of many hard shells layd over one another like the scales of *Wood-lice*. I walking by the Sea side to search after the secrets of Nature, found one of them in the *West Indies*: but wondred at the variety of colours wherewith it stained my hand. For, first it was green, then blew, afterwards purple, and lastly

lastly it became a beautifull Red, and taking my handkerchief to my hands, it died the same likewise, and the colour remained in the linnen not to be washed out.

A *Limpet* which sticks also to the Rocks, it is an Insect of the Sea, having a flat shell, but the Creature within is something like a snail with little Horns, and is very good meat.

A *Needle-fish*, it is a small little long fish of the forme of a pack Needle.

A *Sea Louse*: It is also an insect of the Sea in *Greenland*, and sticks to the *Whale* for food.

Some *Sea Fleas*, which when the Sea is at a low Ebbe, they are found by hundreds under some Racks or weeds after stormes, on the sands by the shore side.

Some *Sea Scorpions*: They are also Insects of the Sea, and have six feet like a Scorpion, and a long taile.

Some *Money fishes*: They are little round Creatures, which when they be dry, are flat and marked like money.

A *Sea Eye* : It is a species of the *Mint fish*, round and clear like gelly, but venemous.

A Sea insect called the *Sea Shears* : It hath many scales like a wood louse, two long hornes and a forked tayle.

A water insect called *Squilla Fluvialis*, or the *Water Crickets*.

A little *Sea Serpent* something resembling a *Conger*, but the head is bigger for the proportion of its body.

A *Paraguito* fish of the *Adriatic Sea* : It is a little green fish that is of the colour of a *Paraguito* when it is new taken, and hath small teeth afore like a *Mouse*.

A little *Burre-fish* : It is green like a *Burre* that sticks to ones cloaths, and is one of the species of *Icus Marinus*.

A little fish found in moorish grounds in *Swedland*, it hath a little prickle on the back that is venemous.

A fish of *Brasil*, called the *Gnathia*. This fish hath a horn on the forepart of the head, and

and is in colour and shape like a *Toad*.

### Parts of F I S H E S.

A *Sea Elephants* or *Rock fishes* head very great. This sort of fish loves to be near the *Rocks*, therefore the *Seamen* when they espy the fish, come not near the place for fear of a *Rock* under water.

A head of a *Sea Sheep*, of *Caape de Vor* in *Africa*; The fish is good meat, and the head very like a *Sheeps* head.

A very great *Sea Hors-head* with all his great teeth; this fish living is of such strength that he can overturn a *Heigh* or *fishers-Bark*.

A *Sea Lyons-head*, so called for its forme; It is a species of *Dog-fish*, but is very good meat especially the liver.

A *Crack-shell-fishes* head. This fish lives upon *Shell-fishes*, and hath three great teeth in the inner part of his mouth, with the which he grinds great shells to small peeces; it is a fish of *America*.

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A great Sea *Catts-head* of *China*: It is as big as a mans head.

A great *Sturgeons-head*; It is a Rarity hard to be procured, for the bigger the head of the *Sturgeon* is, the more difficult it is to dry, because it is very fat, the *Sturgeon* hath no teeth, but sucks in his food by a round hole that is under his head.

A head and tayle of a *Dolphin*, the *Dolphin* tayle is different from all other fish, for it grows thwartwise, the better to rebound out of the water, as he do's often against a storm.

A great *Sword-fishes* head and sword, it is one of the swiftest fishes that swims. It is of the *Black Sea*, and is excellent meat sliced and broyled, with oyle, pepper, salt, and the juice a lemon on it.

A Sea *Morce-head*, it is a fish of *Lap-land*, and of *Norway*, also of *Green-land*; This fish do's sleep hanging on the Rocks by the great teeth of the upper jaw, and so is taken in those parts.

A strange fishes head, that did belong to the King of *Bohemia*.



and is in colour and shape like a *Toad*.

### Parts of FISHES.

A *Sea Elephants* or *Rock fishes* head very great. This sort of fish loves to be near the Rocks, therefore the Seamen when they espy the fish, come not near the place for fear of a Rock under water.

A head of a *Sea Sheep*, of *Caape de Var* in *Africa*; The fish is good meat, and the head very like a *Sheeps* head.

A very great *Sea Hors-head* with all his great teeth; this fish living is of such strength that he can overturn a *Heigh* or *fishers-Bark*.

A *Sea Lyons-head*, so called for its forme; It is a species of *Dog-fish*, but is very good meat especially the liver.

A *Crack-shell-fishes* head. This fish lives upon *shell-fishes*, and hath three great teeth in the inner part of his mouth, with the which he grinds great shells to small peeces; it is a fish of *America*.

A great



A great Sea *Catts-head* of *China*: It is as big as a mans head.

A great *Sturgeons-head*; It is a Rarity hard to be procured, for the bigger the head of the *Sturgeon* is, the more difficult it is to dry, because it is very fat, the *Sturgeon* hath no teeth, but sucks in his food by a round hole that is under his head.

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25 An extraordinary great *Tortise* head of East *India*; it is called the green or logger-headed *Tortoise* for its bignesse.

30 A *Dagger* fishes head; it is a species of Sea-*Unicorne*.

35 The head of a fish of *Madagascar*, that moves the upper jaw, and not the lower, and tis reported that it turns on his back to take its food.

40 The head of a fish that is found in fresh Rivers, as the *Danubius* in *Hungaria*, and the *Elbe* in *Saxe*; it is a fish with a round great head, and very small eyes not proportionable to the head, and two long hornes like a beard; it is a good tasted fish, and is called the *Silurus*.

A great Sea *Dragons* head; it is also called *Aquila Marina*; it is a species of a great *Raja*.

A great broad head of a fish called by some Authors, the *Sea-Hammer*; it hath teeth like a *Sharke*.

The jaws of a Sea *Tyger*, it hath cruel sharp

sharp and long teeth. This fish is the most dangerous sort of *Sharkes*.

The great jaws of a very great *Tabourein*; it is a species of *Sharke*, and hath four or five tyre or rows of teeth. It was sent the Master of these Rarities from the West *Indies*, by the Governor of St. *Christophers*, Sr. *Thomas Wardner*.

A Rib of a *Triton* or *Meremian*, taken by Captain *Finn* upon the shouls of *Brasil*, five hundred Leagues from the *Maine*; given by Doctor *Estgare* Physitian.

The Vein of the tongue of that *Whale* that was taken up at *Greenwich*, a little before *Cromwells* death; it is like a Vine-stock that is withered.

A peece of the skin of a *Whale*, the pizzle eight or nine foot long, the drumpanne, a tooth, ya fin of one of the Gills, some twelve foot long, and the bone that the *Whale* spouts the water out withal, and the neck bone.

A tayl of a *Stingray*, it will saw like an Iron saw.

A very great Saw, or weapon of a Saw-fish,  
with the which he torments the Whale.

An extraordinary great tooth of some fish.

A round flat bone of a fish like a pancake.

An extraordinary great *Lobsters* claw.

A very large *Blatta-Bizantia*, which amongst other properties, hath a specifick vertue to cure the fits of the mother.

Also many hundreds of very rare and beautiful shells of fishes, all different in their formes, works or colours, and other things belonging to Animals, in chests and boxes.

Amongst some of them a rare Mother of pearl, or pearl-oyster, with an oriental-pearl in the midst; a Carval fish shell of the Red Sea, a *Nautilus* of the East-India, and two or three species of shells, that contrary to the general nature of all shells, grow towards the left hand, another shell that hath the center on the bottom, which other shells have on the top.

## V.

## S E R P E N T S, &amp;c.

**A** Serpent above twenty foot long of East *India*, it hath in the upper chap four rows of teeth, this Serpent when he was living, could swallow men or beast.

A long narrow Serpent, like a peece of narrow hair-coloured Satten, edged with white Satten.

A beautifull Serpent called *Ibaboca* of *Brazil*, some ten or twelve foot long.

A spotted Serpent of the Island *Jamaica*; This with the three following Serpents was given to the increase of these Rarities, by worthy Mr. *Povey* one of the Royal Society of Philosophers, and Treasurer to his Highnesse the Duke of *Yorke*.

A gray coloured Serpent, this Serpent being held before the light, the skin appears like Net-work.

A Gold coloured *Serpent*, for his skin is like cloth of Gold.

Another *Serpent* of *India* like cloth of Silver, with black spots.

A black *Serpent* of *Virginia*, it is eaten for good meat.

A *Boicininga* or *Rattle Snake*; Nature has formed him with a rattle at his tayl, that men might avoyd the danger of his biting; for bring once bitten by him, a man dyes in half an houre, unlesse he hath of the rattle Snake-roote to apply to the offended place, and eat a little of it also; therefore the Savages of *Virginia* seldom travel without it.

A very intire *Viper* of *Italy*.

A *Viper* of *Germany*.

An *Adder* of *England*.

A *Slow-Worme* of *Hessen*.

A little *Serpent* of *Germany*.

Another coloured little *Serpent*.

A great *Tatoo* or *Armadillo* of the Duke of Orleans; It lives under ground like a Mole, and is as big as a pretty big dog; it is a great Rarity in the East *India*, and a noble present of so great a Prince.

An *Armadillo* of the West *Indies*, that is esteemed good meat there.

Another sort of *Armadillo* of East *India*, that was presented King *James* for a great Rarity.

A great *Crocodile*, given by worthy Mr. *William Courtine* Esq; a lover of vertue and Rarities.

A little spotted *Crocodile* of *Egypt*.

A very little *Crocodile* as it first came out of his egge, that is as big as a Goose egge.

A very fine spotted *Aligator* of *Brasil*; it is a species of *Crocodile*.

A great *Lizzard* of *Africa*, that is said to be so loving to Man, that if the Man be asleep and in danger of some other creature, he will then awake him.



Another species of *Lizzard* of *Numidia*, or of *Arabia*; it is called by some the *Land-Crocodile*.

An extraordinary rare *Lizzard*, about a yard and a half in length, it is as it were curiously embroydred by nature, with yellowish spots on a dark ground, very pleasant to behold.

A *Bugelagey*, it is a Creature of some parts of *Africa*, it is a kind of *Lizzard* that hath great scales like a fish, and black haire under the belly, it is *Amphibium*, living in Rivers and on the land.

Another sort of *Lizzard* of the West *Indies*, of a greenish colour.

A *Camelion* of *Barbary*, it is said to live only by the air, but it is not so; for he lives by food, and yet he can live long without food, his skin being so nervous and very little porous.

An extraordinary great *Camelion*, about 27. or 28. inches long. It is the property of this Creature to change suddenly into divers colours, not according to the colour of the objects

jects that are successively before him (as some affirm ) but ( as I have often observ'd them while they were sitting on Trees ) according to the divers motions of his spirits, in anger, fear, grief, delight, &c. his skin being very nervous, and somewhat shining.

A true *Salamander*, which is fabulously reported to live continually in the fire, as his element ; but will indeed live longer therein than any living Creature of his bignesse, for the mucous moisture of his skin protects him a while, and damps the fire, as milk or glew.

Another sort of *Salamander*, called the Water-Salamander, for its living in standing water in caves where the sun never shines; it is headed and footed like the other Salamander, and of a could venomous nature.

A *Guaena* of *America*, it is a sort of Lizzard as big as a good Rabbit, but in those parts held for better meat, it lives by the fruits of trees, and is so harmeleffe, that one may safely take him by the tayle as he is on a tree.

A fair *Sincus Terrestris* of *Egypt*, it hath 4. feet like a Lizzard, but resembles a fish with little scales, lives on land, as well as water.

Another lesse *Cincus* of *Cyprus*, it is said that one part of its body is cooling, but the other part is provocative to man or woman.

A coal black Toade.

Froggs with two feet and a tayle.

*Frogs* with foure feet and a tayl.

A black land *Tortaise* full of little yellow specks, such as those of *Germany* or *Greece*.

A little land *Tortaise* of *Canada*, called *Night Tortaise*, for his black ground and round yellow spots.

Another species of *Tortaise* of *Virginia*.

A great land *Tortaise* of *Madagascar*, different from all others in the rare spots and works of his shell; this shell is like an Ancient *Roman Head-peece*.

Divers other sorts of Land *Tortaises* of *East* and *West Indies*. When the *Tortaises* are about to engender, the male strives with the female, who yeilds by constraint for fear of being over-urned by him; for being over-urned

turned they cannot well recover themselves without the help of one another, therefore they alwayes go together for mutual assistance.

## V I.

*Insects or F L I E S.*

**T**WO sorts of *Scorpions*.

A *Guiney* flie bigger then a Sparrow, called the *Bill-scarabeus*, or *Toddy-flie*. They will 30. or 40. of them usually joyn together, and with their long bills saw part of the *Toddy-tree*, to make liquour of it issue out, which then they will suck till they be drunk.

A rare great flie called by the *Indians* *No-coomaca*, it is like wrought-velvet, and of several colours, and like Turkey carpet-work.

A great *Scarabeus* of the *Amazones*, very entire, and of beautifull colours.

A Lanterne flie of *Peru*, called the *Cucuya*. Two or three of these flies fastened to a stick, serve instead of a lantern to give light to those that travel in that Country. A

A black flie, called the Elephant flie for his form.

A Buck flie of *Germany* called for his horns.

A Leopard flie so called for the colours of the spots on his body.

A Parret flie so called for his shape, and for his rare changeable colours.

A Mole flie so called for his four feet, and for his silken hairy down.

A very great and rich coloured *Cantharides* of the *East Indies*.

An Emrauld flie so called for his rare glittering green colour.

A Saphir flie so called for his bright shining blew colour.

A dark green coloured flie called the Musk flie, for his odoriferous sent when he is a live.

A *West India Cacaroche*, it is an Insect somewhat broad, but can insinuate himself in the least chink of a chest, to the great offence of men,

men, by spoiling of leather, or wollen cloaths.

A little brown *Scarabeus* of East India.

A Rare and great Dragon flie.

A Rare Butter-flie of Germany.

A Rare Butter-flie of Swedland, with several hundreds of other rare insects or flies, all different one from another either in shape or colours.

A Golden spotted Indian *Scarabeus*.

A Tortaise flie so called for his shape.

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THE  
SECOND PART  
OF THE  
CATALOGUE.

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I.  
VEGETABLES.

**A** Stick that is grown hollow like a Nett ;  
it was Prince *Maurice* of *Nassawes*  
Rarity, that he brought out of *Brazil*.

A Stick that is grown like a knott, and is a  
pipe to play on.

**A** part of a plant of the Sea of *India*, that  
they make use of for a Trumpet, and if one  
strikes against the side of it, it sounds like  
mettall.



A Stick grown in shape like a Crosse.

A Stick in shape like St. *Andrews* Crosse.

A Stick wrynkled in forme like a Serpent,

Another peece of wood, or Root, grown in resemblance of a Serpent with a head at both ends.

A Stick or peece of wood grown like the secret parts of a man.

Another Stick or peece of wood grown of another rare forme.

A Stick with two branches grown together; it was a Rarity of the *Marquesse* of *Badon*.

Another Stick grown with craggy knobbs, very strange, like some excrecence.

An excrecence of wood in shape of a great Pine-Apple, grown at the end of a little stick, like a stalk to it.

A Natural *Brush* or Broom of *India*.

A flat excrecence, or a strange bough of an Ash-tree.

A bagge grown on a tree like woven-stuff, or as tiffeny, or cobweblawn, it grows on the top of a kind of Palme.

A very strange broad leaf grown like a Tailours, or Bodise-makers work, appearing as it were stitched together.

A Stick full of thorns like Cock spurs, therefore called the Cock-spur-tree.

An extrescence or plant, like a Rubbing-brush.

A blossome of a sugar-cane.

A branch of a Palme-tree of the *Jews-land*.

A great codde or blossome of another species of Palme of the *West Indies*.

A great blossome of the Fox-tayle-plant of *St. Thomas de Lovando in Affrica*.

A Rose of *Jerico* that is a hundred years old, and yet will now open so wide, that it can-

cannot well be put in ones hat, and the next day will be closed lesse then ones fist.

A right Cedar fruit, with a peece of the branch of one of the Cedars of Mount *Libanon*.

A strange white plant, like mosse, or horse-hair, growing without roots on a stone; it hath this property, that whilst tis dry it is very brittle, but being wetted in water it becomes as tough as horse hair. It was found in *Syria* near *Antioch*.

Several Eares of Corne, or Mace of *Virginia*, and other Countries, whereof one grain produces hundreds.

An Eare of strange Corn in a Country in *Africa*, whereof one grain produces more then a thousand.

A Loaf of Bread made of the *Cassado* root, the sap or moisture of that root is deadly poyson, yet makes good bread, for the fire evaporates the malignant nature of it.

A large *Carob*, a fruit that grows on a high-tree in the *Caribies*, the shell of it burnt,  
D casts

casts a sent like perfume, and the inward part tastes like dry spiced bread.

A *Cocos* fruit whole; the fruit and tree affords many necessary things for the benefit of Man, as milk, wine, water, oyle, needles, threed, boards, cordage, sayles, and other things.

A *Cocos* nut something round, and representing a face.

A long *Cocos* nut of another species, something like a fish in shape.

An extraordinary great round *Cocos* nut, something rare for the bignesse.

A square thing made of the *Cocos* bark, to cover the secret parts of men or women. It goes also for currant money in that part of *Africa*, if stampd with the arms of the Kingdom of *Portugall*: for that is the Royalty of the *Portugais* there.

A Purse woven without a seam, made of the *Cocos* fruit.

A fruit of *Brasil* that grows with a cover, it

it is called the Apes nut, because when the fruit is ripe, the Apes open it, to eat the many kernells that are in it, the fruit is thick, hard, very heavy, grows naturally with a cover, therefore it is called the Coverd fruit.

A great *Maraca*, a fruit of *India*, that hath an hard shell like a nut, but as big as a mans head, it is like the scull of a man with the features.

Another sort of *Maraca*, that grows on a high tree which one cannot well climb, because the branches are so small and so full of prickles, therefore the Rats, that love the nut well, are fain to tarry till it falls, and then they gnaw a hole in it and get out the meat: The savages make a strong drink of the sap within, and of the shells they make their necessary household stuffe, as cuppes, spoones, dishes and the like.

A *Ganobany* fruit of *Guiney*.

A *Bacbob*, one species of *Ganobany*, this fruit is great and heavy, and on the outside like velvet. It was given for a great Rarity by the King of *Swedens* Physitian.

A *Tomarus* fruit of *Guiney*, it is also a species of *Ganobany*.

A great Gourd in the form of a pear.

A red Gourd of *Guiney*.

Another pretty shap't Gourd.

A great *Maldiva* Nut ; This fruit is much esteemed in East *India*, and is a Royalty belonging to the King of *Maldiva*, for after a tempest it is cast out of the bottom of the Sea, and if any one do find it on the shoar, he may not take it for himself, but must bring it to the King or his officers, upon pain of death.

A fruit called a *May-cock* of *Virginia*, the outward part of it is meat there, and not the inward.

A long *Cassia* fruit of *Egypt*.

A bunch of *Ethiopian* Pepper.

A Prickle Apple of *India*.

A stinging long Bean of *Brasile*.

A fruit or great Bean like the heart of a sheep.

A very strange light fruit as yet unknown.

A great and strange root of a *Bambous* Cane of East *India*.

A filke cotton cod, such as in *China* they make their fine paper of.

Another species of filke cotton cod, of the West *India*.

A little branch of the cotton wool tree, with the codds full of wooll.

A male Orenge of *Syo*.

A female Orenge.

A Lemon that represents both the secret parts of an *Hermaphrodite*.

A little double Pine-Apple.

A fruit of *Madagascar*, in shape of a double pear.



A strange gourd, or rather two grown into one.

A fruit called *Genipapa*, it is of the form of a *Limon*, but of a strange operation, for the juice is as clear as water, yet a little of it put on ones hand, dyeth it of a purple colour, but to redouble it with more of the same li-  
quour, makes the place as black as Jett, and no art of man can fetch it out, but it will grow out of it self in nine days, and if the hogs eat of it, it doth not endanger them, but makes their fat of a purple colour.

Two very perfect *Mandrake* roots, the one male and the other female, both of them did grow in *Africa*, they are esteemed of women in those parts, and are found by accident in the feilds, by a red flower that the root bears and a long stalk, when it is in perfection.

## II.

### Sea P L A N T S, &c.

**A** Very fair and great purple Sea feather.

**A** A large gray coloured Sea feather.

**A**

A fine lemon coloured Sea fan.

A deep yellow coloured Sea fan, grown to a great pibble-stone.

An Iron coloured Sea fan, as stiff as Iron wire.

A Sea plant or little tree of black horn, for the branches being a little burnt, stink and wrinkle like horn, and being put in warm water become very soft, but the root or lower part is hard white stone.

A very great Trumpet plant, that grows in the bottom of the *Indian* Sea, and they make Trumpets of them in those parts.

A purple Sea plant, given by Doctor *Tonn-ers* of *Hamburgh*.

A very rare Sea plant of two colours.

A fine yellow Sea plant like a branch of small Birch.

A Sea plant like heath.

A Sea plant like the hair of ones beard.

A very rare Sea Plant or Shrubb, with shell fishes incorporated in the branches, like fruits on a tree, it is of *Africa*, and rare and very strange.

A great Sea plant of a gridelin coulor, and in shape like the green broom plant.

A sort of Sea-feather, in colour whitish & is called the Sea-Cabbage for the forme.

A black Sea-feather that is very hard.

A Sea plant called the Sea Cobweb for its likenesse to a Cobweb.

A Sea plant crustated, and the root stone.

An extraordinary great Sponge.

A black Sponge grown in branches, like a tree on a white Rock, its a very fine Rarity,

A Sponge called the bush Sponge for the form of it.

A Pye Sponge with Oyster shells grown on its something like a hand.

A Sea plant grown on a stone, and another stone on the plant.

A plant of the Sea with white corall grown on it like isicles.

A Sea plant grown in a white Corall.

A strange species of Corall called the transparent Corall, it is of the colour of glue, and is of Brasil.

A branch of the Solid white Corall.

A tree of Rough white porous Corall, it is perfect and rare.

A bush or tree of perforated Corall, it is also white and very perfect.

A white Corall with little double shell-fishes, that grew in each part of it, its a Rarity that was uch esteemed of the Emperour, in his Room of Rarities.

Another sort of white Corall grown on a plant of the Sea, different from the above mentioned.

A branch of soft yellowish Corall, it is as light as a peece of cork.

A very great and intier tree of hard yellow Corall, it is very strangely grown in an Oyster.

A peece of black Corall which seems as if it were polished by art but is natural.

A branch of black and white Corall, called the joynt Corall, for the form which is strange.

A peece of red Corall on the Rock as it grew, the better to shew the manner how it groweth, for it is an errour to say that it is soft under water.

A peece of red Corall and white grwon one upon another.

A peece of red Corall grown on a shell.

A perfect red Corall tree, the branches whereof are grown very intricately one into another, the tree weighs 13. ounces and a quarter.

A rare concretion of the Sea with several sorts of shells together.

A concretion of Muscels together.

A concretion of the Sea of stones and Iron together.

A stone found in the bottom of the Sea in India, in the form of a vizard or humane-face.

Some of the right red *Alcyonium* of the Red Sea, which makes the Sea appear of that colour, in the shallow places thereof where it grows. It is a species of Corall, but very porous.

Over and above these Sea plants above-mention'd, there are in several shallow Chests or Boxes, hundreds of other sorts, viz. of Coralls, Corallins, Alcyanians, Concretions of things of a different nature, Stones of the Sea, &c. which for brevity sake are not particulariz'd at present: but may be, when such worthy persons as are minded to buy the whole Collection, please to require an account.

## I I I.

*Minerals, Stones of strange shapes, and things  
turned into Stones; with Chrystals and preci-  
ous Stones.*

**A** *Hungarian* Rock of Vitriol, in the  
shape of a mans visage.

A Rock of Copper and Chrystal together.

A Rock of a kind of Emerauld and Ame-  
thist together,

A Rock with Muscle shells.

A Rock with whole flat shells, of a Moun-  
tain in *Germany*.

A Rock of a quarry of Stone, near to the  
City of *Frankford*.

A Rock like a great piece of Wax or Re-  
sin.

A Rock of Moss in Stone, once belonging  
to the Emperor *Ferdinando* the third.



A Stone like the bottom shell of a great Oyster, but never was one.

A true *Ætites* or Eagle-Stone, so much esteemed. It once belonged to the King of *Moroco*, and *Fesse*; who bestows them only upon Embassadors and eminent persons, as Marks of his high favour, not permitting any others in his Country to keep them besides himself, whole perogative it is when he dyes to have some of these stones buried with him in token of his Royalty.

A great *Lapis Ammonis* that is coal-black.

A yellow stone like wax, that has on it the representation of a Vine Leaf or Flower, and is of a glittering substance.

A large piece of Ice glass, but it is something brittle, and is a kinde of gipsum.

An Extraordinary Rare *Calcedonian* Stone in a frame, it is like a piece of Ice on the ground.

*Natural Landships in Stone.*

A great Triangular stone that hath a natural representation of trees and bushes.

A great Jasper stone in a frame, that represents a moorish ground with rivers, trees and bushes.

A Marble stone of the river *Arnon* in a frame; the Emperour *Ferdinand* the third confessed he never saw a rarer, for it doth represent a bridge, and an old ruinous Tower, a tree with the bark, and birds flying in the Air; it was the great Duke of *Florence's* Rarity.

Another stone picture in a frame; it represents an arme of the Sea, with Cottages, and a Church by the water side.

A very rare stone picture representing cloudy skyes, an excellent Rocky mountain, with a Cave in it, and a fore-land. This rare peece was given for the better perfecting this collection, by the Right Honorable the Earl of *Pembroke* and *Montgomery*.

Another very fine stone picture like a ruinous town on a hill.

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Another stone of the same Nature also in a frame.

A very rare stone picture, like a City all on fire; the Master of these Rarities had it as a rare thing from the Prince Elector of *Cullens* hands, as a favour.

A white stone that represents a tree, as if it was made by art with a pen.

Another very rare white stone that doth represent two or three trees also, as if they were drawn with a pen.

Another stone of a yellowish colour, that represents naturally many bushes and trees, as if they were drawn artificially.

A stone with the natural land-skip of a Castle on a hill, a Town at the bottom, and a pathway between, very pleasant to behold.

A stone picture of *Mosaick* work, representing a haven and ships at Sea under sayl.

*Condensements or things turned into stone or  
mettal.*

A great peece of an old rotten post, turned  
into

into hard heavy stone, and yet appears like wood. It was sent me from Master *Patrick* a reverend Divine.

Another peece of worme-eaten wood petrified, yet reserving its colour.

A peece of Oaken-wood turned into *Jasper*, it is polished on the one side, that the grain of the wood may appear, and was sawed off from a peece of wood like a billet. A Cardinal of *Rome* once possesst it for a great Rarity.

A peece of wood turned into stone of *Lough-Earn* in *Ireland*.

A peece of wood turned into Iron ore, in *Transilvania*.

A peece of Wood turned into Copper ore, in *Germany*.

A stone that seems to have been severall lays of mud, and a horse-tayl plant buried in it, altogether petrified, a very strange Rarity.

Another stone that hath been mud, and hath the impressiion of *Polipotium*, it is also very rare,

A Cake

A Cake or Bisket in stone; it is a Rarity that was much esteemed by divers learned persons beyond Seas.

A stone like a figge from a tree, or a figge turned into stone.

A stone like a pear broken in the middle, and within it appears like the coar of a pear.

An Oyster that is open, the upper shell and lower with the fish, all turned into stone.

A Crab with the claws turned into stone.

A great tooth of a land Creature turned into stone.

A Rarity said to be part of the scull of a man or woman petrified.

A Neck-bone of some Creature turned into stone.

Two joynt-bones together of some Creatures leg or foot, turned into Iron ore, being as heavy as Iron, and appearing as it were rotten.

The Impression of several fishes on black stones like slaets, of different forms and species.

Divers other sorts of bones, shells of the Sea, and fresh waters, with snayls shells, fruits, Reeds, mosses and other things all turned into stone.

A peece of Crystal very clear and rare, that

bath in the midst, a representation of a mosley figure, or horned statue, which appears to be three or four, by a pleasant reflection from the sides of the Crystal.

A very rare Crystal, like a Town built on a hill, seeming to be hollow at the bottom, but is not.

A peece of East *India* Crystal, it is white.

A peece of West *India* Crystal, it is gray.

A peece of *European* Crystal, that is very clear.

A peece of yellow Crystal.

A peece of Sea-green Crystal.

A peece of blewish Crystal.

A peece of blossome Crystal.

A peece of wave Crystal.

A peece of frilled Crystal, all these sorts of Crystals are called so for their forms or colours, with divers other species of Crystals, that are not nominated for brevity sake.

#### I V.

#### *Mettals, Minerals, &c.*

**S**everal sorts of Iron ores.

Several Lead ores.

Several Tinne ores.

Several Copper ores.

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Several Silver ores.

Several Gold ores.

Besides other Minerals growing something rare, as Copper and Crystal together, &c.

A Touch-stone, and a Metalline substance, on the other side like Copper.

An Iron bullet in the midst of a stone.

A very strange kind of Mineral held to be Quick-silver, that is fixed in his mine, for being burnt, it turns into a stinking vapour, as Quick-silver doth. It is something rare, for the Master of these Rarities, in his travels never saw more then two peeces, and this was one of them.

Several sorts of Talkes.

Several sorts of Sulphurs.

Several sorts of Earths out of mines.

Several sorts of other Minerals, as Cinabaris, Antimonium, Saffor, Flores-Martis, Murienum, Marcasits, and divers other Minerals, and the like.

## V.

### *Precious Stones.*

**A** Methists in the mine.  
Granats in the mine,

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A sort of rich Diamond in the mine.

Calcidonian with the mine.

Chrysolits in the mine.

Jasper from the mine.

Lapis-Lazuli from the mine.

Malaguita from the mine.

Turkeise from the mine.

Vermilions from the mine.

Rubies from the mine.

Emerauld from the mine.

Hyacinths from the mine.

A *Bohemian* Topaz on a rich pedestal of black Ebony.

Another rare Topaz, that hath in it a representation of a Forrest or bushy-hills, very pleasant to behold.

And divers other kinds of precious stones, and sorts of Pearls, different in their colours and shapes, with several Toad-stones, and Eagle stones, and such like.

A very beautifull peece of Amber, that hath a representation of a rising vapour, or cloud in the midst of it, very rare.

Another peece of Amber, with a Bee in it.

A pretty peece of Amber, with a fly above and an Ant at the bottom.

Divers other peeces of transparent Ambers, that have all something or other in them, as flies, spyders, ants or the like.

*Divers stones of strange shapes & regular forms.*

**S**everal *Lapides Ammonis*, or stones like Serpents, but different from that above mentioned.

A very large Glossopetra of *India*.

A Glossopetra on his Rock, it is of *Malta*, and differs from those of other Countries.

Several stones like unto Cloak-buttons.

Several *Lapides Lincai*, they are like arrow heads.

Several *Lapides Judaici*, they are like fruits.

Stones like Caps.

Stones like Hearts.

Stones like Starres.

Stones in form as we picture the Sun, with the rays or beams about it.

Stones like little wheels of watches.

Stones like Crosses, of *Gallicia* and other parts.

Little stones like Pillars.

Stones like Screws.

Stones like Pease or Garavances.

Stones like darts-heads, they are thought to be Thunder-boulds, and in *Scotland* they call them Helf-heads.

Stones square like Dice, but are a species of Marcasets.

Stones with well formed impression.

Stones in shape like Tobacco-rowls.

A stone like a Dogstooth.

A stone like a little ear.

A stone like the little toe of ones left foot.

A stone like the secret parts of a woman.

Agate stones like the eyes of fishes.

Several stones like unto Sugar-plums.

Stones like sweet-meates, march-pane, sugar-cake, sugar-candy white and brown, and the like, and divers other sorts of stones of the like nature.

## VII.

### *Things of strange operation.*

**A** Hard white stone, that if one puts it in the fire, doth suddenly turn to dust.

Stones that being put into a glasse of water, crack into small peeces so that one may hear them.

A stone that smells only when it is blown on, and the harder one blowes, the stronger it sent.

A stone that if one puts it on the fire gives an excellent smell,

A stone that is hard and heavy, yet being put

put in the water does sent odoriferously, like a hat-full of Violet flowers.

A stone that being held in a moist hand, gives a sent like a salty-hog, and therefore is called the swine stone.

A Mineral stone, that being rubbed upon a peece of bright Iron or Steele, turns it suddenly into Copper.

A good load-stone.

Stones from the West *Indies* that are hard, yet being put in vinegar, stir and creep to and fro.

Other sorts of stones that have the like property of stirring in vinegar.

A stone so hard, that it will scratch steel, yet being cast in the water does not sink.

A peece of wood that is not heavy, yet sinks suddenly under water.

A peece of wood from *Nova Hispania*, which being infused in fair water, renders it of two severall colours; for if you fill a viol with that water, it will appear of a yellow colour one way, and of a deep blew another.

A nother peece of wood of a lesse pleasant property, for a little scraped and warmed, smells like a stinking Jakes.

A Mineral substance, that being put into a glasse of wine, makes infinite bubbles like atomes that rise in the middle of the wine, to the delighting of the beholders. An

Another Mineral substance like silk, called *Amiantus* or *Asbestos*, it being put in the fire does not consume.

A fruit that being stuck on a fork, and then held over a candle, makes a vey pleasant fire work.

But above all these stones and things for admiration, is a little stone like a gray coloured Agate, called by some *Oculus Mundi*; it being put in a glasse of clear water, becomes as clear as Crystal, and then taken out, in a little time returns to its first opacity. This Rarity was presented to the better completing of these curiosities, by worthy *Sr. Francis Peters*.

Besides these above mentioned things, there are 40. Chests or Boxes furnished with many hundreds of Rarities, as several shells, rare stones of the Sea, different Coralls, strange plants of the Sea, many strange bones and teeth of different Creatures, sundry egges of Birds and other Creatures; with hundreds of strange fruits, nutts, excrescences, marcasits, minerals, and stones of rare shapes, and such like things, all different; their names and natures being omitted to avoid prolixity: but if the owner of this collection of Rarities do sell them, he then God willing will write at large a more ample account of each thing in particular, for the satisfaction of that ver. uous person that is pleased to buy them.

*A Catalogue of the Names of those Great Princes and Persons of Quality, whose love of Virtue, Learning, and of the admirable Works of God in Natural Rarities, has been shewn by their Bountiful adding of something to the encrease of the fore-mentioned Collection.*

**C**HARLES the First, King of Great Britain, France and Ireland, &c.

**C**HARLES the Second, King of England, Scotland, France and Ireland.

Ferdinand. the third, Emper. of Germany, &c.

Elionora Empress, &c.

Ferdinand the fourth, King of the Romans, &c.

Elionora Queen-Dowager of Swede, &c.

Christianna Queen of Swede, &c.

John Philips Archbishop of Mentz, and Prince Elector, &c.

Charles Lewis Palgrave of the Rhein, and Prince Elector, &c.

John George Prince Elector of Saxony, &c.

Maximilianus Henry Archbishop of Collen, and Prince Elector, &c.

Christian Lewis Duke of Lunemburg and Brunswick, &c.

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*Frederick Duke of Holstein, &c.*  
*William Landgrave of Hessen, Prince of Her-*  
*sefeld, &c.*

*Gaston Duke of Orleans, &c.*

*Philip Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery.*

*Monfieur de Belieure* Great President of  
*France.*

The Honorable *Sr. Thomas Row*, his Maje-  
 sties Embassador to the Great Magor in *In-*  
*dia*, to the Emperour of the Turks at *Con-*  
*stantinople*, and to the Emperour of *Ger-*  
*many*, and also to divers other Kings,  
 Princes, and Free States.

*Sr. Thomas Wardner* General for the *Caribee*  
*Islands*, and Governour of *St. Christophers*,  
 and one of the Gentlemen of the Privy  
 Chamber to King *Charles* the first.

*Sr. Richard Everard*, one of the Burgesses of  
 the Honorable house of Parliament, and a  
 great Lover of ingenuity.

*Sr. Francis Peters*, a great lover of Rari-  
 ties.

The Learned *Petrus Carisius* Resident for the  
 King of *Denmark*, in the united Provinces.  
*Frederick Shink* Governour of *Selle*, and  
 Privy Councillour to the Duke of *Lunem-*  
*burg*, &c.

*St. Theodore de Mayerne*, Physitian to the Qu.  
 Mother *Henricetta Maria*.

*William*



*William Courtine* Esq; a friend to Ingenuity.  
*Mr. Povey* Treasurer to his Royal Highnesse  
 the Duke of *Torke*.

*Dr. Saltzman* Physitian, and Professor in the  
 University of *Strasburg*.

*Dr. Faustus* Physitian, and Professor in the U-  
 niversity of *Hidelberg*.

*Dr. Moretus*, Professor of Astronomy in the  
 University of *Prague*.

*Dr. Cornelius Van der Lingon* Physitian in the  
 University of *Utrecht*.

*Dr. Houswetel* Physitian to the King of *Swe-*  
*den*, and Chief Physitian in *Hamburg*.

*Dr. Bezler* Chief Physitian in *Nuramburg*.

*Dr. Brown* Physitian in *Ausburg*.

*Dr. Dewit* Physitian in the Country of *Lief-*  
*land*.

*Dr. Eastgate* Physitian in *Poplar*.

*Mr. Thornton* Chaplain to the Right Honora-  
 ble Earl of *Bedford*.

*Mr. Cornelius Middlegest*, Clerk to the Com-  
 pany of the Royal Adventurers of *England*  
 Trading into *Africa*.

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*A Catalogue of the Rarities that are shown to  
the Curious, in the University-garden, at Ley-  
den in Holland.*

*Translated out of Latin.*

- 1 **A**N Eagle.
- 2 **A** Walnut of Canada.
- 3 An Indian Bat.
- 4 A Saw-fish.
- 5 Two great Fish Shells.
- 6 The Rib of a Rhinoceros.
- 7 The Skin of a *Braslian* Hog.
- 8 A Sort of White Corall.
- 9 An Indian Boar, and the Jawbones of a  
Sea-Swine.
- 10 The Cedar-fruit.
- 11 A Bird of *Bresle*, like a Peacock, called  
*Mine*, having on his fore-head a long  
white horn, and another white one on  
each wing.
- 12 A White Bears Pizzle, feet, Bones, and  
Jaws.
- 13 A fish called Blasaert.
- 14 An Elks hoof.
- 15 A gaming instrument of Straw.
- 16 An Indian Almanack.
- 17 A Remora.
- 18 A Bird of Paradise.

- 19 A Hedgehog fish.
- 20 A Toucan, and his Beak.
- 21 A Brasilian Horses Skin.
- 22 The Feather of a Phenix.
- 23 An *Indian* Idol.
- 24 A *West Indian* Spider.
- 25 A Sea Bat.
- 26 The Head of a Hippopotamus.
- 27 The Teeth of a Hippopotamus.
- 28 A Bow and Arrowes.
- 29 An *Indian* Loaf.
- 30 The Teeth of a fish called Pot.
- 31 A large Mushroom.
- 32 The fruit *Annanas*.
- 33 A Fish called *Gieb*.
- 34 The Horn of a Rhinoceros.
- 35 A Hamack.
- 36 A huge Serpents Skin.
- 37 The Trunk of a wild Figtree of *India*.
- 38 The Jangadas head of *Brafile*.
- 39 The Head of a Fox.
- 40 A *Spanish* Cane.
- 41 A Sugar-Cane.
- 42 Four Sorts of a Sea-plant.
- 43 A Casawries foot.
- 44 The Hog-fish.
- 45 A Sea-Spider.
- 46 A Creature bred out of a Hens egge.
- 47 A Pellicans Bill.

- 48 A Crocodile.
- 49 The Jaw and backbone of a Haëya.
- 50 Statues from *Zabba*.
- 51 The Stone-Amiantas, which yeilds the Byffor.
- 52 A Stags Head.
- 53 The Skin of a *Brasilian* Roe-buck.
- 54 The Skin of a Luyaërts.
- 55 A Gourd of *Brasile*.
- 56 The Passion-flower.
- 57 The portraiture of a Goose found in an Oxe Liver.
- 58 A wooden Trumpet of Tappa jet.
- 59 A Mermaids Skin.
- 60 The greater and lesser Tamandua Peba, that live upon Ants.
- 61 An *Indian* Armadilla.
- 62 An *Indian* Lizard.
- 63 A Sea Cat.
- 64 *Indian* Shells.
- 65 A Vipers Tongue.
- 66 Serpents Egges.
- 67 The Hearing bone of an Elephant.
- 68 A Rattle Snake.
- 69 An Elks Skin.
- 70 An *Indian* Woolf.
- 71 A Dragon.
- 72 A Sea Wolf.
- 73 A Fish called *Spilt*.
- 74 Estridges Egges.

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- 75 Eagles Egges.
  - 76 Elephants Teeth.
  - 77 Crocodiles Egges.
  - 78 A Tigres Skin.
  - 79 The shrub called Cipo, creeping a great length.
  - 80 Cassia fistula, a great sort.
  - 81 Diverse sorts of Coloquintida-apples.
  - 82 Goats Horns.
  - 83 A Military instrument of *Brasile*.
  - 84 *Japanian* Trowzes, and shooes.
  - 85 A *Japanian* Commanders Coat.
  - 86 A Fish that spowts up water through two holes that come out of his Nose.
  - 87 The fruit *Pindivas* & *Latria*.
  - 88 The Horns of the Goat in whose panch the Bezoar stone is generated.
  - 89 The Portraiture of the Country man of *Prussia* that swallowed a knife.
  - 90 A Sea plant.
  - 91 A Viper.
  - 92 A Scarlet grain, or the Berry that makes that Colour.
  - 93 A Dolphin.
  - 94 An *India* Tortoise.
  - 95 Tortoises Egges.
  - 96 A Gryffins foot.
  - 97 The Pizzle of a Whale.
  - 98 A Sea Lyon's Head.

- 99 A Barnacle.  
 100 Feathered Grasse.  
 101 A Beast called *Jackbals*, that provides  
 meat for the Lyon.  
 102 The Sceleton of a Man.  
 103 A *Russian* Coat.  
 104 A Parrat.  
 105 A huge Skin of a wild Dog.  
 106 An *Indian* Boat or Canow.  
 107 A Coco-Nut.  
 108 Leyden Coins.  
 109 A Wolfs Head.  
 110 *Zambucaja*, a Great Nut.

*These things here mentioned are to supply the dis-  
 ference of both the Collections.*



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